

Supriya

Do you judge him, King ?
He
also judged you, when he
came to
punish you, not to rob your
kingdom.

Malini

Spare him his life, father.
Then
only will you have the right to
bestow
on him your friendship, who
has saved
you from a great peril.

King

What do you say, Supriya ?
Shall
I restore a friend to his
friend's arms ?

Supriya

That will be king-like in its
grace.

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King

It will come in its time,
and you
will find back your friend*
But a